

PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER
(Small Entity)

Docket No.
129/015

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 C.F.R. 1.53 is the patent application of:

Fischione et al.

For:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PREPARING SPECIMENS FOR MICROSCOPY

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Certificate of Mailing with Express Mail Mailing Label No. **EV 068576799 US**
- ☒ Sixteen (16) sheets of drawings.
- ☐ A certified copy of a application.
- ☐ Declaration ☐ Signed. ☐ Unsigned.
- ☐ Power of Attorney
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Verified Statement(s) to Establish Small Entity Status Under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.
- ☒ Other: **Check, Postcard**

CLAIMS AS FILED

For	#Filed	#Allowed	#Extra	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	164	- 20 =	144	x \$9.00	\$1,296.00
Indep. Claims	8	- 3 =	5	x \$42.00	\$210.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
BASIC FEE					\$375.00
TOTAL FILING FEE					\$1,881.00

- ☒ A check in the amount of **\$1,881.00** to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
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Invention: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PREPARING SPECIMENS FOR MICROSCOPY**

I hereby certify that the following correspondence:

Specification, claims, drawings (16 sheets), Information Disclosure Statement with six (6) references, transmittal letter, check*(Identify type of correspondence)*

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